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SUBJECT.

Prosecution of the parties concerned in an infant marriage that took place at Karyapalli, Kolar Dt. between Munilakshmamma and Subrayappa

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SECTION Police

FILE No. 47 — 9.c

SER'AL No. 43

From

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

To

The ~~General~~ Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General & Revenue Departments.

Dated 21-6

Despatched 24 June 1896.

Received 25 — Camp Shemoga.

General No. 3918

No. 430

Enclosure No. one

Recommending the prosecution of the parties concerned in an infant marriage that took place at Kanjapalli in the Chintamani Taluk.

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OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

No. 3918/430 Dated Camp Shimoga 21st June 1896. 24

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FROM

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE
IN MYSORE.

To

THE ~~GENERAL~~ SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith Copies of docket No. 470 of the 12th instant and its enclosure from the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kolar, reporting on the occurrence of an infant marriage at Kanyapalli in the Chintamani Taluk on the 10th May 1896.

2. The Police enquiry shows that the bride and bridegroom are goldsmiths by caste, aged 5 years and 6 months and 35 years respectively. The marriage was arranged by Narnappa, the father of the bride Munilukshmamma and by Subroyappa, the bridegroom, and it was performed in spite of the remonstrance of

Patel

Patel Kempareddi of Kariapalli, The Assistant Superin-
=tendent of Police recommends the prosecution of Narnappa and
Subrayappa for an offence under Section 3 of the Infant
Marriage Prevention Regulation.

3. I beg that sanction may be accorded to the prose-
=cution of the parties concerned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

V Madhava Rao
Inspector General
of Police.

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Enclosures 1896.

From,

The Assistant Superintendent of Police,
Kolar District.

To,

The Inspector General
of Police in Mysore.

A°. 470. Fm: one

Dated 12th — 6 — 96.

Has the honor to enclose a Memo in the infant marriage case of Kariyapalli, Chintamani Taluk and to request that the sanction of Government may be kindly obtained to prosecute the parties concerned.

Signed/ Narayanaiengar.
for Assistant Superintendent of Police
Kolar District.

Memo in re the Kariyapalli Infant marriage case, Chintamani Taluk.

This is a case of infant marriage in which girl named Munilaksmama, aged about 5 years and 6 months was married to one Subroyapah aged about 35 years. The parties belong to Goldsmith's Caste and the marriage was celebrated at Kariyapalli on Sunday the 10th May last.

The circumstances under which the marriage was brought about are stated to be briefly these:—

Some days before the marriage, Patel Kempareddy of Kariyapalli heard of the marriage and told Naranapah

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the father of the girl as well as the bridegroom that such marriages were prohibited by law. Thereupon Naranapah told the Patel that he would ask the Chintamani Inspector about it. Accordingly he went to the Inspector 7 or 8 days previous to the marriage and sought his advice.

The Inspector told Naranapah that the marriage of girls under 8 years was contrary to law. Naranapah went back to the village and informed the Patel of what he had learnt from the Inspector and told him that he would drop the matter. Seeing preparations for the marriage had not ceased the Patel again questioned Naranapah who told him that as he had borrowed a large sum of money from the bridegroom and spent it on preparations for the marriage he could not help performing the marriage and that the bridegroom had told him that he would meet the Consequences. The marriage under notice was thus celebrated in spite of the warning by the Patel and the Inspector.

The girl Munilakshmamma is the youngest surviving child of Naranapah. The Register of Births and deaths shows that a son named Venkatapah was born to Naranapah in October 1888. Munilakshmamma was the only child born to Naranapah after Venkatapah. The boy himself is not yet 8. Munilakshmamma must of Course be under 8.

The Register of Births and Deaths also shows that a daughter was born to Naranapah on 30-5 October 1890.

in the village of Singasandra which Narayanah left two years back. Patel Kempareddi of Singasandra and Shanbogue Venkatrayapah both speak to the birth of Munilakshmamma in the said village.

There is thus evidence to show that the marriage was celebrated, that it was celebrated even after the advice of the Patel and the Inspector and that the girl is under the age limit prescribed by an enactment.

Sanction is therefore solicited to prosecute the parties Concerned.

Signed Narayanaiengar.
for Assistant Supdt. of Police,
Kolar District.

"Copies."

By [illegible]
Inspector General
of Police.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

READ—

Letter No. 3918 - 430 dated 21st June 1896
from the Insp. Genl of Police in Mysore
reporting that on the 10th May 1896 an infant girl of 5 years and 6 months
named Irumilukshmamma daughter
of one Narnappa
was married to one Subrayapah aged about
35 years
at Pariyapalli, Kolar Dt.

SECTION Police

FILE No. 47-95

SERIAL No. 464 ORDER THEREON No. 14016-7 DATED 30-6-1896.
1609

Under the provisions of section 8 of Regulation X of 1894, the Government are pleased to direct the prosecution, for offences under section 3 of the Mysore Infant Marriages Prevention Regulation, of all persons who caused the marriage of the infant girl named Irumilukshmamma with a person named Subrayapah and of all persons who knowingly aided and abetted the same, and of the said husband Subrayapah.

A very clear case in spite of official manner... RJ

Sd/- B Seshadri 27/6/96
Secretary.
26/6/96

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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From

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

To

The ~~General~~ Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

SECTION Police

FILE NO. 47-95

SERIAL NO. 47

Dated 4th
Despatched 5th } September 1896

Received 7th

General No. 834
No. 94

Enclosure No.

Reporting the punishments awarded to those prosecuted in connection with the Infant Marriage case at Kariyapalli, Kolar District

J 5/9/96

Submitted with reports
Dept. 7-9-96

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OFFICE OF THE

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

No. 834/94 Dated Bangalore 4th/5th September 1896.

Enc.

FROM

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE
IN MYSORE.

To

THE ~~GENERAL~~ SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 14016-7 dated 30th June 1896 sanctioning the prosecution of all persons concerned in the marriage of the infant girl Munilakshmamma, I have the honor to report that the marginally noted accused persons were awarded the punishments as noted in the margin.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

M. Madhava Rao
Inspector General
of Police.

1. Nanjaiya, father of the bride. Sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 15/- in default one month's simple imprisonment.
2. Subbamma, bridegroom. ——— do ———
3. Nallaiya, father of the bridegroom. Sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 5 in default 5 days' simple imprisonment.

No: 4394-5 / 478 / 29-9-96.

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Letter No: 834/94 of 4: Sept: 1896 from the Dispr Genl of Police in original reporting the following result of the prosecution sanctioned by Govt in Pro. No: 14016-7/1609 of 30: June 1896 of the persons concerned in the Infant marriage which took place at Karidapalli in the Kistna Dt on 10: May 1896

SECTION Police
FILE No. 47
SERIAL No. 48

Place of the Marriage	Accused persons	Result
Karidapalli Kistna Dt	1. Narrappa father of the bride	1. Fined Rs 15/- in default to one months simple imprisonment
	2. Subbrayappa bridegroom	2 — Do —
	3. Krallappa father of the bridegroom	3 Fined Rs 5/- in default 15 days simple imprisonment

Order thereon - J. 478
28-9-96

Recorder

Subtreasurer
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Secretary

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The Inspr. Genl of Police

The District Magistrate